THE POPULATION OF PETERSBURG

The Census Will Show an Increase Over 1890-

PROBABLY FATAL BLOW

Two Farmers Quarrel, and One Strikes the Other With a Piece of Rail, Breaking His Skull-Children's Day Exercises.

PETERSEURG, VA., June 25.-Special.-The census enumerators have nnished taking the population in Petersburg. While it is not possible to obtain the figures, they taking the population in Petersburg. While it is not possible to obtain the figures, they will probably show an increase in population over the census taken ten years ago, when Petersburg had 25,686 inhabitants.

Tent meetings are still being conducted by Rev. L. W. Guyer, on West High Street. Methodist ministers in Petersburg are assisting Mr. Guyer.

A DANGEROUS LICK.

Mr. J. W. Rowell is dangerously ill at his home, eight miles from Emporia, as the result of a blow received Saturday night from Mr. L. R. Morris. Mr. Rowell is not expected to live.

Morris and Rowell are both well-known farmers. Morris went to Rowell's home Saturday night and a quarrel arose over

farmers. Morris went to Rowell's home Saturday hight and a quarrel arose over Morris' trying to hire one of Rowell's laberers. The quarrel ended in a fight. Morris struck Rowell over the head with a piece of fence rail and fractured his skull. Dr. J. R. Jones was immediately summoned and found Rowell to be in a serious condition. The doctor says that while the wound is only a skull fracture the chances are against the

that while the wound is only a skull fracture, the chances are against the man's recovery. Rowell gains consciousness at brief periods, but is not conscious long enough to make any statement. UNDER ARREST.

Morris has been arrested and is locked up at Emporia jail. Bail has been asked for but refused. Both men have families and were neighbors. Rowell is about forty-five years, and Morriss is about forty-five years, and Morriss is

about forty-five years of age.

Children's-Day exercises were held
at the First Baptist church yessterday
morning. The church was beautifully
decorated and the exercises were a
marked success. Several pieces from
Professor Thacker's band added to the

musical features of the day.

The semi-annual meeting of the Baptist Young People's Union will be held at West-End church to-morrow night.

Miss Bessie Riddle, who was graduated from the Training School at the Home for the Sick with high honors, has been appointed head nurse and superintendent of the hospital built at Rocky Mount,
N. C., by the Atlantic Coast Line.

Mrs. Mary R. McKenney leaves this week
for a two months' trip to the mountains.

THE WAY TO BUILD A CHURCH.

Young Scions of Millionaires in Norfolk

or Jokers.

NORFOLK, VA., June 25—Special.—
Court-Street Bapiist Church, Portsmouth, was built in 1838. Pastor Garrett wants to build a new edifice and said so eloquently yesterday. The result was that of the \$15,000 wanted with which to begin build. \$12,000 was subscribed by twento build, \$12,000 was subscribed by twen ty-six members. There are 448 others to

Two young fellows, strangers, entered the Public Ledger newspaper office here this afternoon, introducing themselves as W. K. Vanderblit, Jr., and Potter Palmer, Jr., and said they would like to have the fact that they were in town printed.

the fact that they were in town printed. They said they came from Boston, would go by steamer to Baltimore, thence west and later to Paris.

They said they had laid a wager of \$50 with Boston friends that they would come to Norfolk, and wanted to prove by the publication in the Leager that they really come here. Norman Hamilton, a reporter whom they succeeded in convincing that they were the two millionaires sons, printed the desired "personal." They took his address and said if they won the wager they would send him half, maybe all of it, and left town. Norfolk is divided as to whether Hamilton will get the money and whether the two will get the money and whether the two young men were those whom they claim-ed to be. Hamilton says they looked rich and is sure he was right.

Coal for Russia.

NEWPORT NEWS, VA., June 25.—Special.—The British tramp steamer Accoma Captain Johnson, arrived in port this morning from New York. She is now load-ing coal for Cronstadt, the Russian mili-tary stronghold. This is the first cargo of an enormous consignment of coal sold to the Russian government by the Chesa-

Coal for Remey.

NORFOLK, VA., June 25-Special.-A large force went to work on the Collins, Saturn, Hannibal, Alexandria and Caesar, at this navy-yard to-day. The ves-sels are ordered to sail for Manila with coal so soon as they may be made ready

AMEND GOEBEL LAW.

Extra Session of Kentucky Legislature May Be Called.

COVINGTON, KY., June 25.-It was announced to-day that Judge James P. Tarvin would be a candidate for the gubernatorial nomination before the Democratic Convention at Lexington, July 19th. Democratic leaders have announced that the convention is certain to pass a resolu-tion asking Governor Beckham to call an extra session of the Legislature in order to modify the Goebel election law, so it y be in operation in amended form in the November election.

Custom-House Frauds.

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HAVANA, June 25.—Senor Andrade, the new fiscal, says that the custom-house fraud case will be brought up to-morrow. He believes he can secure convictions in most of them. So far as the postal cases are concerned, he says that he cannot proceed until all the papers are in his hands. Consequently he is unprepared to make a statement.

Corn for the Famine Stricken.

NEW YORK, June 25.—The Committee of One Hundred on India Famine Relief to-day received a cable from Bombay that the steamer Quito had reached there with 309,000 bushels of corn. The Quito's Cargo represents donations of corn from Luc Americans, and will be distributed among the distressed.

Martin J. Russell Dead. CHICAGO, June 25.—Martin J. Russell, one of the proprietors and editor of the Chicago Chronicle, and for many years identified with the management of Chicago newspapers, died last night at Mackinac Island from a complication of diseases.

THE BEST PRESCRIPTION THE BEST PRESCRIPTION.

for chilis and fever is a bottle of Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic. The formula is plainly printed on each nackage. It is simply from and Quirine in a tasteless form and is compounded in correct proportions. The reason imitators do not advertise their formula is because they know you would not buy their medicine. if you knew its ingredients. Grove's is the original, and is the only chill and fever remedy sold throughout the entire ensignal section of the U. S. No cure, no cay, Price 50c.

Your Liver

Will be roused to its natural duties and your biliousness, headache and constipation be cured if you take

Hood's Pills

Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

BASE BALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Boston, 26; Philadelphia, 4. Brocklyn, 15; New York, 2. St. Louis, 2; Cincinnati, 9.

Sunday Scores. Cincinnati, 5; Chicago, 3. Standing of the Clubs. Won. Lost. P.C.

Chicago..... Cincinnati...... 22 There They Play To-Day.

Philadelphia at Boston.
Brooklyn at New York.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.
Chicago at Pittsburg.

Boston, 20; Philadelphia, 4.

BOSTON, June 25.-The Philadelphias ere badly handicapped from the start by their pitchers. Barnhard was hit hard, Thomas was wild, and Conn was worse, issuing eight passes and hitting four men, besides being batted for six hits in four innings. Attendance, 2,700.

Score: R. H. E. Score: A. H. H. E. Score: A. H Boston Philadelphia Conn. Bernhard, Thomas and McFarland Umpire, Mr. Emslie.

Brooklyn, 15; New York, 2.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., June 25.—Brooklyn played rings around New York to-day, using up three pitchers. Kennedy forced a run in by giving a free pass with the bases full in the first, but thereafter New New York The Park of the P York was at his mercy. The base running of Jones and Jennings was the feature. Dahlen was hurt by a pitched ball. Attendance, 2,500.

Score: pire, Latham. Time, two hours. St. Louis, 2: Cincinnati, 0,

ST. LOUIS, MO., June 25.-Powell pitched in phenomenal form to-day, but one clean hit being made off his delivery. Attend-

At Sheepshead Bay.

NEW YORK, June 25.—The Zephyr stakes for two-year-olds was the only feature at Sheepshead Bay to-day. Commando galloped all the way and won cleverly by one and one-half lengths, having made most of his own running in 109 3-5, close to the track record. Sum-

First race-five furlongs-Gold Heels (3 First race—five furlongs—Gold Heels (3 to 1) first, Browndale (4 to 1 and 6 to 5) second, Bowen (10 to 1) third. Time, 1.

Second race—mile on turf—Blue Devil (5 to 2) first, Jack Point (5 to 1 and 2 to 1) second, MacLeod of Dare (4 to 1) third. Time, 1:40.

Third race—the Zephyr; Futurity course—Commando (7 to 10) first, Holstein (9 to 2 and even) second. King Penper

course—Commando († to 10) lirst, Holstein (9 to 2 and even) second, King Pepper (10 to 1) third. Time, 1:092-5. Fourth race—mile and a furlong—Fa-ronius (12 to 1) first, Merito (6 to 1 and 2 to 17 second, Intrusive (4 to 1) third.

Time, 1:55.
Fifth race-hurdle handicap-one and

one-half miles-Dr. Eichberg (4 to 5) first, Pardee (7 to 5) third. Time, 2:49.3-5.
Sixth race—six furlongs—Pink Domino (4 to 1) first, Corinthian (8 to 1 and 3 to 1) second. Elleen Daly (100 to 1) third.

Waddey Team Wins. A spicy game of ball occurred on last Saturday at the Lee Monument Grounds between the teams of the Everett Wad-dey Company and the J. L. Hill Printing Company. The game resulted in a score of 17 to 15 in favor of the Waddey The winning team partook of re freshments at the expense of the defeated.

Expressions of Thanks.

There was a meeting of the Council Committee on Accounts and Printing at the City Hall yesterday evening. Little business was transacted, and time consumed in the session was mostly taker up by the members in expressing thanks to one another for their work as members

of the committee.

Mr. Ezekiel, clerk for the body; Mr. John T. West, Mr. J. N. Lawder, Mr. James Bahen and others made remarks, after which the body adjourned.

There was no meeting of the Committee on Claims and Salaries yesterday evening, owing to the absence of a quorum.

Used a Razor.

James Rowland (colored), while saunter-ing around the neighborhood of the Second Police Station shortly after 2 o'clock this morning, met the enemy, who used a razor, cutting James about the arms. The ambulance was summoned, and he was removed to the hospital. Dr. Murrell dressed the injuries. Two calls were responded to shortly after

Two Cairs were responsed to shortly attern 7 o'clock last night. One was to attend Clarence Goddin, a white because kicked by a horse and badly thout the face. He was treated by 1 ter and Gills and left. Another was to a tend G. F. Bull, a white man, who fell at Adams and Main Streets and gashed his head. H: was removed to the hospital, where his wounds were dressed, but was later dis-

ARKANSAS WANTS HILL-

An Effort to Instruct for Him for Sec-

ond Place. LITTLE ROCK, ARK., June 25.—An effort will be made in the Democratic State Convention to-morrow to instruct for D. B. Hill, of New York, for Vice-President. The movement will be led by Representative Parker. Chairman Jones, of the National Committee, is a delegate to the convention, and he probably will favor an uninstructed delegation on the vice-presidential question.

an uninstructed delegation on the vice-presidential question. The warmest fight will be on national committeeman, the candidates being Con-gressman T. C. McRae and former Gov-ernor J. P. Clark. Senator Jones is said to favor McRae.

Attorney Jeff. Davis will be nominated for Governor by acclamation, and will also be sent to the Kansas City Conven-tion as a delegate at large.

tion as a delegate at large.

B. R. T. Case Begun. NEW YORK, June 25.—The trial of the defendants in the Brooklyn Rapid Transit conspiracy case began to-day. A jury was selected and adjournment taken until

It is reported that one of the defendants has turned State's evidence. Pension Agent Arrested, MEMPHIS, TENN., June 25.—D. H. Johnson, United States pension agent here, was arrested to-day on a United States warrant charging him with unlawfully obtaining \$500 from an aged colored woman. Johnson claims he borrowed the money.

WILLIAM AND MARY COMMENCEMENT

Rev. Dr. Cary E. Morgan Preaches the Baccalaureate Sermon.

LITERARY CELEBRATION.

Dr. Lawson and Hon, R. Walton Moore Deliver the Medals for the Phoenix Society - The Addresses.

WILLIAMSBURG, VA., June 25.-Speclal.—Rev. Carey E. Morgan, of Richmond, preached the baccalaureate sermon in the college chapel of William and Mary College yesterday morning, taking his text from 16th chapter, 13th verse First Corin-thians, "Watch ye, stand fast in faith, quit ye like men, be strong." The theme was "What type of men is demanded by

this age?"
Dr. Morgan impressed his hearers as being a mun of great learning and strong convictions, the key to his eloquence being his apparent sincerity.

Rev. Dr. R. F. Beadles, of Portsmouth,

delivered the annual sermon to the College Young Men's Christian Association last LITERARY CELEBRATION.

The College chapel was packed to-night to witness the final celebration of the Phoenix Literary Society. The building was beautifully decorated in orange and white, the College colors, while on the ros-trum were the banners of the Phoenix and the red and white colors of the society. Rare old paintings of departed statesmen looked down from their wreath-bedecked places on the snowy walls, and above them stood out in bold relief the names of Jef-ferson, Madison, Monroe, Tyler and others of national fame. The scene was a gay and happy one, made happier by the strains of sweet music.
WELCOME ADDRESS.

The address of welcome was delivered by the president, Mr. F. S. McCandlish. Mr. H. Jackson Davis upheld the affirmative side of the question: Resolved, That an Anglo-Saxon alliance would be beneficial to the United States. The negative was debated by Mr. Cassius M. Chichester. Mr. J. Gayle Anderton delivered an oration on "The Power of Conviction," while "Virginia's Contribution to American Freedom," was the subject of an oration by Mr. E. Barbour Hutchison.

The debaters' medal was won by Mr. H. J. Davis, and was awarded by Dr. Law-son. The orators' medal was awarded by Hon. Walton Moore to Mr. J. Gayle Anferton. The improvement medals then awarded for improvement in debate to Mr. George Johnson; improvement in delamation to Mr. J. Thompson Booth.

TEACHERS FOR

(Continued from First Page.)

Cooke, Henrietta F. Bacchus, Hattie E. Dabney, Nannie J. Wynn, William A. Mitchell, Kate G. Randolph, Sallie L. Willis, Cora L. Bright, Ella J. Williams, M. Jane Boyd, Fanny P. Walker, Florence D. White, Ella F. Bolling, Fannie M. Rob-

inson.

Navy Hill School.—Principal, John P.
Thompson. Teachers—Albert V. Norreli,
Rosa B. Brooks, Lena V. Isham, Bessie
L. Whittle, Cora L. Brown, Mollie E.
Turner, Mary L. Jasper, Emma B. Lucas,
Virginia B. Harper, Earlie A. Lee, Margaret L. Tinsley, E. Madeline White, Mary
E. Morris, Sarah E. Brown, Martha C.

E. Morris, Sarah E. Brown, Martha C. Trice, Julia J. Stephens.
Baker School.—Principal, Thomas P. Crump. Teachers—Rosa D. Bowser, Marietta L. Chilles, Lizzie P. B. Wills, D. Webster Davis, Vera A. Holmes, Annie B. Haskins, Louise J. Corbin, Cornelia F. Brown, Mattia C. Tinsley, Mary H. Smith, Mary E. Allen, Ellen V. Trent, Lizzie G. Vancey. Yancey. Moore School.—Principal, Dana H. Ruck-

er. Teachers—Florence E. Isham, Julia A. Braxton, Mary B. Holmes, Abram L. Morton, Ada Foster, Fannie B. Dixon. Octavia L. Patterson, Lucy A. Peters, Sarah J. Turpin, A. Deborah Patterson, Hattie E. Wallace, Neilie G. Barclay, Emily S. Peresil, Vol. Q. Bebinson well Katt G. Robinson Monroe School.-Principal, Jacob L. Eze-

Added Teachers—Kate C. Watkins, Florence A. Aytes, Emma A. Evans, Susie B. Crump, Minnie M. Branch, Rosa B. Jack-son, Lucy J. Woodson, Gertrude D. Law-

rence.
The body adopted resolutions expressing its high appreciation of the faithfulness and efficiency of W. F. Fox, superintendent, and C. P. Walford, clerk of the

SALE OF EXCHANGE HOTEL.

It is Purchased by Mrs. S. C. Nolting City Hall Courts.

City Hall Courts.

A deed of conveyance of the Exchange Hotel property by Mr. Frank W. Christian, special commissioner, to Mrs. Susan C. Nolting, executrix of E. O. Nolting, deceased, was recorded in the Chancery Court yesterday afternoon, the amount paid for the property being \$12.500.

The case of W. J. Snead against Mrs. A. D. Atkinson for \$235.45 was tried in the City Circuit Court yesterday. The jury, being unable to agree, adjourned over until this morning at 10 o clock.

Judgment and notice of motion were entered in the case of A. Federleicht & Sons against Eva H. Ewig for \$127.54.

N. and W. Earnings,

The statement of estimated gross earnings of the Norfolk and Western Railway are: For the third week of June, \$276,295; increase, \$43,393. Total for month to date, \$\$1. 935; increase, \$139.150, July 1st to latest date, \$13,522.751; increase, \$2,058,909.

OBITUARY.

Arthur Edgerton Bateman.

The death of Arthur Edgerton Bateman, the well known financier, which occurred in Washington Sunday night, will be a source of regret to a large number of Virginians, among whom Mr. Bate-man was so well known. He died at his residence, No. 1715 Connecticut Ave-

nue, of heart disease.

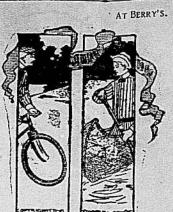
Mr. Bateman built the Atlantic and
Danville Railroad, now known as the
Danville Division of the Southern Railway, extending from Portsmouth to Dan-ville. He also had a scheme to extend this road through to Bristol to become a competitor of the Norfolk and West-ern. For this purpose the city of Danville subscribed \$150,000, and Bristol also

made a large subscription.

Mr. Bateman was well known all through that section of the country lying between Portsmouth and Danville, and was famous for his generosity and hos-pitable nature. He was a picturesque figure in that district, and was exceed-

inly popular.

Mr. Bateman was born in Attica, Ind., forty-nine years ago. At an early age he entered the Annapolis Naval Academy, from which he was graduated, and for a number of years afterward he was in the service of the United States Navy. At the age of thirty, with the rank of leu-tenant, he resigned his commission and engaged in business. He was very successful and acquired a large fortune, re-puted to be in the neighborhood of two millions of dollars. He became involved in the Baring Brothers' failure of 1830 and lost the greater portion of his wealth. For a number of years Mr. Bateman re-



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If you can get here before your neighbor you'll get the choice in this big sale of outing goods.

Buy as carefully as if you were pay

ing a third more—the goods will stand the scrutiny—but come early.

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your kind may be gone.

With all sincerity we claim to offer the best Straw Hats yet 95c

Were more-worth more; but we must hat you.



sided in New York, and was engaged as a banker and broker. He was widely known as a yachtsman, and for a number of years was commodore of the New York Yacht Club. He owned two very handsome and costly yachts and cruised extensively, particularly in European waters was a second of the particular of the part

ters, and was a recognized authority on boating matters.
Several years ago Mr. Bateman returned to Washington and established the firm of Green & Bateman, bankers and brokers. Later he was associated with Mr. Foulke in the banking business. Prior to his financial reverses Mr. Bateman was the owner of the Asheville and Danville Railroad, and was interested in a number of other lines. He was a very able financier, and succeeded in recouping his fortunes

to some extent.

He leaves a widow and three children.
Mrs. Ernest M. Paddock, Bella, fourteen
years of age, and Arthur E. Bateman, Jr.,
seven years of age.

At one time Mr. Bateman had a stock

broker's office in F Street, near Four-teenth Street, and among his customers was General David B. Swaim, of the army. They became involved in a busi-ness dispute, which terminated in Bateman making charges of duplication of pay accounts against Swalm, the court-mar tial following, resulting in the latter's

Milton Cavce.

Mr. Milton Cayce died Sunday afternoon at his home on Grove Road. He was in the sixty-seventh year of his age, and for the past few months had been seriously ill.

Mr. Cayce was well known in Richmond. He came here from Petersburg about thirty years ago, and for many years had charge of the leaf department of Allen & Clints Thereon. He retired from charge of the leaf department of Allen & Ginter Tobacce Factory. He retired from business about six or sevent years ago. He leaves a widow, one daughter—Miss Lily Gordon Cayce—and two sons, Messrs. A. B. Cayce, of Danville; and George M. Cayce, of Cincinnati.

The funeral will take place at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon from the residence. The interment will be as follows:

bearers will be as follows: Active—M. T. Smith, J. N. Boyd, W. T. Hancock, T. F. Jeffriess, Jackson Miller, H. C. Beattie, W. B. Palmer, H. Swineford

Honorary-Dr. A. L. Hodges, Dr. R. A. Patterson, George L. Bidgood, E. V. Wil-lams, George A. Haynes, W. W. Baker, John B. Watkins, Coionel C. P. Bigger,

John B. Watkins, Colonel C. P. Bigger, John M. Taylor.
R. E. Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans, has detailed the following members to attend the funeral of the late Comrade Cayce: Commander D. C. Richardson, Comrades Thomas P. Pollard, E. J. Bosher, A. C. Peay, Joseph W. Thomas, James T. Gray, John Murphy and William A. Mounteastle. They will meet at the Camp Health of the Streets Hall on this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in

L. S. Corr.

Mr. L. S. Corr died at the Old Dominion Hospital Sunday morning at 4:39 o'clock from the effect of a fall from a roof a

day or two ago.

His remains were taken to the rooms of Funeral Director Billups, prepared for burial, and removed to his mothe's residence. No. 2202 M Street.

The funeral will take place this afternoon at 4 o'clock from Leigh-Street Baptist Church, and the interment will be in Oakwood Cemetery.

Mr. Corr was a member of Grove County of the county of th

cil. No. 40, J. O. U. A. M., and the Tin-ners' Union, both of which organizations will attend the funeral.

Mary Martin.

Mary, the infant daughter of J. P. and Annie B. Martin died at 11:50 o'clock Sun-day night, at the residence of her parents, No. 524 Nicholson Street. The funeral will take place from the residence this morning at 10 o'clock

E. G. Nuckols.

ROCKVILLE, VA., June 25.—Special.— Mr. Edwin Goode Nuckols died at his resi-dence in Hunover county Saturday after-noon, aged seventy-four years. He was for nearly fifty years a leading member of Goochland Baptist Church. He was a member of Hanover Cavalry, and

served gallantly with Wickham's Brigade from '61 to '65. In May, 1851, he married Miss Sallie Bowles, who, with two sons and eight daughters, survive him. The interment was in the family grave-

yard Sunday afternoon. A very large crowd attended his burial. Mrs. M. W. Nichol.

LEXINGTON, VA., June 25.—Special.— The remains of Mrs. Mary Walker Nichol, who died in Prince Edward county, were who died in Prince Edward county, we're brought here Friday evening over the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad and interred Saturday morning in the Lexington exmetery. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Whaling. Mrs. Nichol was born in Aberdeenshire, Scotland, eighty-seven years ago, and came to this county in 1871. Five children survive: Mr. J. W. Nichol and Miss. Liva Nichol of Fevington. Nichol and Miss Liza Nichol, of Lexington Mrs. E. G. Buck, of Prince Edward coun-ty, Va.; Mr. S. A. Nichol, of New York, and Mr. George Nichol, of Canada. William F, Padgett.

ALEXANDRIA, VA., June 25-Special. William F. Padgett, a well known resi-dent, aged about seventy-five years, died this morning after a protracted illness. He conducted a harness store on King Street for many years.

DEATHS,

PAGE.—Died, at his residence, No. 9031/2 West Clay Street, at 4:15 P. M., June 25th, CHARLES A. PAGE, in the thir-ty-fifth year of his age. Funeral from Laurel-Street Methodist Church at 10 A. M. TO-MORROW. WHITTET Died, THOMAS POINDEX-

TER, infant son of Harry G, and Su-sie T. Whittet Saturday night. The bu-rial took place this morning from the residence at 10 o'clock.

COMBINED FORCES

League Island Navy-Yard expect to have her ready within ten days.

AMERICAN BLOOD SPILLED.

Four of Waller's Marines Killed in

Four of Waller's Marines Killed in Ambuscade Near Tien Tsin

WASHINGTON, June 24.—The following dispatch from Rear Admiral Kempff, dated Che Foo, June 24th, was received by the Navy Department to-day:
"In ambuscade near Tien Tsin on the 21st, four of Waller's command killed and seven wounded. Names will be furnished as soon as secured. Force of 2,000 going to relieve Tien Tsin to-day."

The American detachment ambuscaded consisted of 130 United States marines under command of Major Littleton W. T. Waller, who had gone forward by land from Tong Hu, near Taku, in company with 400 Russian troops to relieve Tien Tsin.

Dispatch From Admiral Bruce.

LONDON, June 23.—The Admiralty has received the following dispatch from Admiral Bruce, from Taku via Che Foo:

"The total force which left Tien Tsin with the commander-in-chief for Pekin was about 2.003. composed of detachments from the ailled ships. No action could possibly be taken to relieve the commander-in-chief, because it was only known that he was cut off by Tien Tsin being invested.
"Tien Tsin has been fighting for its life ever since. It was in receipt of inlife ever since. It was in receipt of in-formation that the Chinese army had formation that the Chinese army had ordered trains for attacking Tien Tsin, that they were ravaging Tong Ku and reinfocing Taku, as well as mining the mouth of the Pei Ho, that it was promptly determined to seize Taku. Since then every effort has been made to relieve Tien Tsin. Tien Tsin.

Tien Tsin.

"I have commanded a small coasting steamer for taking troops and wounded across the Bay to Wei-Hai-Wei, where I intend making a temporary base hospital and asylum for refugees."

Attack on Tong Ku Expected.

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TSING TUA, June 24.—8 P. M.—Eight
thousand allied troops have landed at
Taku, included 1.200 Germans. A French
officer who has succeeded in getting
through from Tsen Tsin to Taku says
that the Russians alone have lost 150
killed and 300 wounded.
The German gunboat Iltis, up the Pei
through from Tien Tsin to Taku says
masses of Chinese are nearing Tong Ku,
and that an immediate attack is expected.

GREAT ACTIVITY IN COTTON.

The Price Fell 30 Points Under a Terriffic Drive.

NEW YORK, June 25.—The sensational buil movement, begun some ten days ago, culminated on the New York Cotton Exchange this morning, when prices fell some thirty points under a terrific drive of bulls to unload a glut of long cotton purchased on the advance. It has been many months since the shorts here, in the South and abroad have been so effectually rounded up, but inasmuch as the primary cause for the covering was bona fide influences and not manipulation, the uplift was scored with comparative the uplift was scored with comparative

ease.

For several weeks bad crop reports have been pouring in from nearly all parts of the belt, and the European bear faction has been restless. The public manifested an inclination to buy, and trading operators here finally made a bold stand on the bulge. Day after day prices climbed upward with Day after day prices climbed upward with Day after day prices chimbet apware a dizzy rush.

This morning exceptionally strong English cables and particularly bad crop reports sent prices on first sales 25 to 30 points upward, and forced the few remain-

ing bears to seek safer ground. The rise proved too fast for one house—Dennis, Per-kins & Co.—and at midday its suspension was reported from the rostrum.

The announcement at once created distrust in the bull ranks, it being feared that other concerns might be involved, that other concerns might be involved, and, in a frantic effort to unload, prices were pounded down 31 points before the final gong sounded. Whereas the West, the South, Wall Street and Europe, had bought on the opening rise, representatives of all those interests were heavy sellers on the break. Once more jubilant beans becomered the online light and called at a

hammered the entire list, and called at-tention to better weather prospects and good crop reports from Texas. A tumble of four cents in wheat also operated as a stimulant upon the selling movement. Conservative estimates of the day's transactions placed the amount at considerably over 1,000,000 bales, the trades made in many instances reaching thousands of bales in a single operation. The feeling after the close of 'Change was weak, the crowd anticipating a bull panic in Liver gool to-morrow and a less bullish weekly government report at noon Tuesday than

heretofore anticipated. DEFEATED BOERS.

Clements Drove Them North of Sand Spruit With Loss.

LONDON, June 25.—The following dispatch has been received at the War Office from Lord Roberts:

"Pretoria, Presidency, June 25.

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"Clements successfully engaged a body
of Boers yesterday near Wimberg, where
he had gone to pick up supplies and some
heavy guns preparatory to acting in connection with columns from Lindley, Heil-bron and Heidelberg. He drove the enemy orth of Sand Spruit with loss. No casual-

ties are reported.
"Ian Hamilton reports that Heidelberg is "Ian Hamilton reports that Heidelberg is the most English town he has yet seen. The Inhabitants gave him a great reception. The streets were crowded and decorated with bunting. Captain Valentine hoisted the Union Jack, in the Market Square, amid the cheers of the populace and the Australian and other Colonial troops. "God Save the Queen' was sung. the crowds heartily joining in. The poo Royalist had a rough time leader.
"Hutton's mounted infantry skirmished with the Boers yesterday a few miles southeast of Pretoria, Captain Anley is reported to have managed the little busi-ness very well. Lieutenant Crishin and one Northumberland Fusilier were

EXAMINATION OF NEELEY,

wounded.'

It Was Again Postponed by Consent of

Counsel.

NEW YORK, June 25.—The examination of Charles F. W. Neeley has again been postponed until next Friday at 10:30. The postponement was by arrangement and mutual consent of counsel.

According to air. Baldwin, United States attorney, when the Government does act it will be in the shape of application to have Neeley removed to Cuba under the special extradition act passed by Congress. by Congress.

Application for Neeley's extradition by General Wood upon Governor Roosevelt will ultimately be acted upon. Neeley is in the Ludlow-Street jail.

THE CASES DISMISSED.

The Grand Jury Make a Report on the Ice Trust Conspiracy. NEW YORK, June 25.—The grand jury handed in a report to Judge McMahon this afternoon, in which they dismissed the cases of conspiracy against the officers of the American Ice Company.

TEMPORARY INJUNCTION. Must Not Interfere With Uncle Sam's Mail in St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, MO., June 25.—Judge Elmer
B. Adams, of the District Court, today granted a temporary injunction in

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the case of W. S. Mahon and all the members of Division No. 131 of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railway Employes of America, restraining them from interfering in any way with the running of mall cars over the lines of the or. Louis Transit Company.

Muravieff's Successor.

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LONDON, June 26.—The Paris correspondent of the Daily Express says:

"Four Russian Ambassadors are here—Count Casini, Ambassador to the United States; Count Develidoff, Ambassador to Italy; Count Kapniy, Ambassador to France. It is said that Count Muravieff's successor at the Russian Foreign Office will be one of these, and I am Informed that Count Casini stands the best chance."

No New Cases of Yellow Fever. WASHINGTON, June 25 .- Surgeon-Gen eral Sternberg received a telegram to-day from Captain Stark, chief medical officer at Camp Columbis Quemados, Cuba, say-ing there had been no new cases of yel-low fever at Quemados during the past forty-eight hours. He also says that, as a matter of precaution, all the non-immunes have been removed from Quemados.

NEW YORK, June 25.—Anti-imperial-sts to the number of thirty-five, coming rom the principal cities of the country, met to-day at the Flaza Hotel. The heet-ing was for the purpose of determining wnat action the followers of this line of national policy will take in the coming presidential campaign, and, as a result of the conference, it may be that a new party will be formed, the members of which will vote independently of both the Republican and Democratic parties.

Cyclone in Alabama. Oyclone in Alabama.

MONTGOMERY, ALA., June 25.—A cyclone passed over Eutaw, Ala., yesterday, and did a good deal of damage. The Baptist Church was demolished, and Presbyterian Church and Female Academy were badly wrecked.

A Glimuse of Mrs. Towne, A Glimpse of Mrs. Towne.

"Western women," quoth a Gothamite,
"amaze me. At the age of thirty-five they
have done more dan we eastern women
ever hope to accomplish in a life-time.
"At lifteen," continued she, "a western
girl has nearly completed her education
and is ready for her finishing touches.
At eighteen she has learned all she needs
to know and has graduated at three
schools. Probably she speaks one or two
languages, besides her own, and ten to one schools. Floadily see specific one languages, besides her own, and ten to one she knows how to cook. She has something of a musical education and understands

"At twenty she is more than versatile, and can talk about anything from wash-ing a baby to the latest picture. She knows English literature to the last book out; and is well up on the latest pro-

out; and is well up on the latest pronunciation. If she stays single she goes
on with her studies, and even if she marries she continues to progress."

Mrs. Charles A. Towne, whose husband
was nominated the other day in Dakota
on the Populist ticket, to support Wm.
J. Bryan, is a western woman, highly
typical of her part of the country, and
one of those who could amaze the Gothamite with her progress.

When the convention met in Dakota
Mrs. Towne deckared that she did not care
whether her tusband received the nomination for the vice-presidency or not. It
pleased her sufficiently to know that he
had earned a place in public favor and delighted her to think that he held so fast

lighted her to think that he held so fas lighted her to think that he held so fast to his principles. Beyond that she did not care, but if the people wanted to nominate him, that was a different thing. Everybody knows now the way the name of Towne swept the hall, when the nomination for the Populist vice-president was mentioned. And when the news was flashed back to Duluth no one was as delighted as Mrs. Towne, who felt that, after all, it was the just desert of a good man.

A PROGRESSIVE LIFE. A PROGRESSIVE LIFE.
Fourteen years ago Maude Irene Wiley
was one of the belles of Lansing, Michigan. Charles A. Towns was then a building lawyer of that city, and people thought
that he did very well indeed when he
secured the hand of pretty Miss Wiley,
who had more suitors than she could man-

age.

Miss Wiley was the gradule of an Indiana college and had taken a special course in music, at which she was productent. She was also an artist of fine abilities and, for a time, thought of pursuing her art in the best schools abroad. While the standard these are the standard than the second schools abroad. to travel had not neglected the languages and was a French scholar capable of speaking the language like a Paristan.

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Towns captured in Michigan thirteen years ago.
After their removal to Duluth in 1802, After their removar to buttar in tex-when Mr. Towne came prominently be-ore the public, Mrs. Towne devoted her-self more enthusiastically to work of a semi-public character. She begun an mergetic club-life, half professional and half social, and soon made the names of clubs to which she devoted ther ef-sknown all over the country. She ded literary and art clubs, she joined clubs and brought them into promie artistic world and soon her efforts crowned by more than success. To-you will not find better clubs than

h in Duluth, and none have the h of art and literature which certain in Duluth boast. Towne is also an active worker politics. She has opinions and the courto voice them. She accompanies her band on his political trips and talks r his speeches with him. It is said that has been known to write them, but

s she denies. is see denies.

Mrs. Towne, besides being progressive, pretty; two attributes that seldom traviogether. See dresses elegantly and her wass are models of correctness. No worses are models of correctness. No worses are models of correctness. man. East or West, is more entertaining than she, none more typical of the best type of American woman.

FIELD OF THE WORKINGMAN.

Paris has 1,500 omnibuses. Mr. Peine is a Chicago dentist. The Adirondacks contain 500 notels. Chicago has an egg inspectors' unio At Chinese mines coal costs 25 cents 1

The South is to have turpentine plan-

The Paris Exposition has 50,000 exaib-John Bull uses 600,000 pounds of tea Swiss socialists now have nine seats in

Sciothurn.
There are 109,900,000 working people in the German Empire.
Cuba has 15,000 square miles of unexplored forest area.

The Kansas Sixth Congressional District hasn't a newspaper.

Inlianapolis furniture makers are to

establish a permanent exhibit. More than 1,000 kinds of rubber shoës

are made in the United States.

Kansas City employers say they will not employ union stone-cutters.

Married couples in Norway are privileged to travel on railways at a fare and a

New South Wales will pass a comput-scry arbitration act modeled after New